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***VIA ELECTRONIC FILING***

The Honorable Gregory M. Sleet  
United States District Court  
for the District of Delaware  
844 N. King Street  
Room 2124, Lockbox 19  
Wilmington, Delaware 19801

Re: *Dyson, Inc, et al. v. Maytag Corp., et al.*, Civ. Nos. 05-434-GMS and 06-654-GMS

Dear Judge Sleet:

On June 6, 2007, the parties jointly filed a proposed Consent Decree to be entered in both Civil Action Nos. 05-434-GMS and 06-654-GMS, and proposed stipulated Orders of dismissal of Civil Action Nos. 05-434-GMS and 06-654-GMS. The entry of the Orders of dismissal is required to fulfill the parties' settlement agreement, and significant obligations of the parties will be triggered by the entry of the Orders of dismissal. Accordingly, counsel for Hoover respectfully makes itself available, at the Court's convenience, should there be any questions or issues regarding the dismissal papers submitted jointly by the parties.

Respectfully submitted,

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